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force but will expel it by refusing to  
permit it to do business within the  
state, Governor Henry Allen declar-  
ed in an address prepared for delivery****today before the governors' conference.  
A writ being sought in the  
Kansas Supreme Court, he said,  
would make disappear the Ku Klux  
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and the action now pending in the court is for the purpose of so doing  
a writ forbidding the Klan to do business  
hereafter in Georgia.****The essence of our opposition to  
this organization is not in the fact  
that it fights the Catholic Church or  
expresses its antipathy to the Jew  
or the negro but in the fact that it  
does that under the pretense of  
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of violence alleged to have been com-  
mitted by members of the Klan in the  
South and Far West he said:****"The organization is as dangerous  
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**REV. FRANCIS J. SCOTT CONDUCTS ADULT CONFERENCE**  
Rev. Francis J. Scott, pastor of the First United Presbyterian Church, county superintendent of adult Sunday School work, conducted an adult conference at a mid-year conference of the Fayette County Sunday School Association held yesterday in the Third Presbyterian Church, Uniontown. There were two sessions and Attorney A. C. Slesley of Greensburg, Mrs. J. M. Bailey, a state worker, gave addresses in the morning and afternoon. Rev. E. A. Hodil of Uniontown also spoke. There was a large attendance and much interest displayed in the meeting.

**Chartered Mail to West.**  
The marriage of Miss Sylvia L. Griffith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Griffith of Pittsburgh, and Dr. Joseph Paul Nonon of Chippewa will take place this evening in the Waverly Presbyterian Church.

**May Stahl.**  
Miss Adele May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph May, and Harry Stahl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stahl, both of Meyersdale, were married at Somerset, by the Rev. C. G. Hesse.

**Congregational Meeting.**  
The annual congregational meeting of the Trinity Reformed Church will be held Sunday morning following the regular services.

**Six O'clock Dinner.**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Delaney gave a six o'clock dinner last evening at their home in West Patterson avenue in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Algernon E. Bradley of Raleigh, N. C.

**Missionary Meeting.**  
Mrs. H. C. Hoffman was leader and Mrs. Lydia Percy conducted the Bible reading at the regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Trinity Lutheran Church held Thursday afternoon in the church. The subject for study was "Our Institutions of Mercy." Following the business session refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mrs. W. T. Morris, Mrs. Moorman, Mrs. T. E. Miller and Mrs. C. L. Luton.

**Christmas Entertainment.**  
The Adult and Junior departments of the Greenwood Methodist Episcopal Sunday School will present a Christmas pageant "Nativity of the Child Christ," tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock in the Slavin Hall, South Eighth street, West Side, under the direction of Miss Virginia Lewis. Members of the congregation have been chosen to represent the different characters. There are five episodes as follows: One "The Prophets' Prophecy the Coming of the Child Christ and Tell the Story of His Birth"; two "The Shepherds Behold the Star and Hear the Angel's Message"; three "The Wise Men from the East Behold the Star and Follow it to Bethlehem"; four "The Scene in the Manger"; five "Adoration of the Shepherds, Wise Men and Children."

**Wise Women Hostess.**  
A large choir and special quartet composed of Miss Helen Gray, Miss Margaret Debold, Homer C. Davis and Rev. C. F. Richmond, will sing "the Christmas music."

**Wise Women Hostess.**  
Fourteen members attended a delightful meeting of the Glad-U-Kum Club at which Miss Elsie Palmer was hostess last night at her home in Gibson avenue. Fancywork was the amusement followed by dainty refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Misses Minnie and Bessie Sisson in South Pittsburg street.

**Trial at Dunbar.**  
The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Dunbar met at the parsonage Thursday afternoon. The program was arranged like a court trial, India being tried before the court of "world opinion" as to whether or not she is fit to be admitted to the society of world powers. The case was tried before Judge Fairplay, Mrs. Peter Johnson, the prosecuting attorney. Miss World Citizen was Mrs. E. W. McCloskey. Witnesses for the prosecution were Mrs. S. K. Eicher, Mrs. Charles Chapman, Mrs. S. H. Jones. The audience was the jury. The trial will be continued at the January meeting when the side for the defense will be heard. Mrs. Harry Williams con-

### Daily Fashion Hints



### MIGHT HAVE SHORTENED WAR

English Soldiers' Scruples, Which Did Him Honor, Prolonged Fighting in South Africa.

A military correspondent of the Manchester (Eng.) Guardian writes: "In a life as replete with adventure as was that of Christian De Wet during the Boer war, there were said to have been countless occasions when the Boer hero went near to death. The nearest occurred in 1901, when the guerrilla leader, at the height of his fame, was extricating his valuing column from its affle in the Cape Colony. He was headed off by several of the pursuing detachments, from one of these of which a young British cavalry trooper had been captured a forward patrol. They stopped at a roadside store, and stabled their horses in a back shed.

"When the Boer commandos came through in haste the woman of the store, who was friendly to the two English boys, sent them up into the garter above her shop. Here they couched with their rifles at the ready while the scouts and the main body of the commandos went through. Then a Cape cart came along and drew up at the store to elicit some information. In it were seated Christian De Wet and President Steyn.

"The corporal recognized De Wet from the pictures he had seen, but though his finger was upon the trigger his heart failed him. As he said in cross-examination afterward: 'I had not the heart to shoot a man in "civil" life in cold blood.' This Ind's natural scruples probably prolonged the Boer war by eighteen months or such incidents as history made."

### VICTORY OVER SWEET TOOTH

Woman's Fierce Battle With Appetite Can Only Be Understood by Those Who Know.

It was a hard struggle, but she won. For as much as five minutes he stood there struggling in full view of the incoming crowd, moving through Thirty-fourth street, says the New York Sun. Perhaps she was noticed particularly because it here was so much of her to struggle. Certainly more than 200 pounds.

Everybody understood what was the matter. She said it with her sad and longing look as she soared into the window. She was not young and everything about her appearance was quite conventional, except the expression of her face, which had a droll drawn about the mouth and chin and a defected expression in the eyes.

Five minutes she stood and looked into first one window and then another. She started to enter the shop, but turned back. But she stood outside and looked some more before she gathered up the courage to go in.

What was in the window? Just candy. Beautiful big pieces of soft fondant, shining white, lave pink and pale spring green. A whole tray of taffy, glistening and golden as amber. There are those to whom such things mean nothing, but every shape is round, every chunk of candy meant something to her. As she stood there she seemed to count those pieces over, one by one. But she gave them up. She won her fight. She went in without spending as much as 10 cents.

### ELECTRIFYING FRENCH RAILS

Government Proposes to Run Fast Trains by Power.

Dr. JOHN B. LAIDLAW.

Dr. John B. Laidlaw, 52 years old, died Friday evening at the family home at Cheneleachie, Greene county. He is survived by two sons, W. G. Laidlaw of Uniontown and Dr. Edmund Laidlaw of Cheneleachie.

### Justice Pitney Retires Jan. 1

Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Associate Justice Pitney of the Supreme Court today sent his resignation to President Harding to take effect January 1.

### Hanihara New Jap Envoy to Washington

Associated Press.

TOKIO, Dec. 16.—Appointment of Vice Foreign Minister Hanihara as ambassador to Washington was announced today by the cabinet.

Home From the West.

SOMERSET, Dec. 16.—D. B. Zimmerman has returned to his home here, after spending two months on his ranches in the Dakotas and in visiting various other places in the Northwest. He was accompanied on his trip by his daughter, Miss Sally Zimmerman.

At Railmen's Banquet.

R. E. Shaw, city Baltimore & Ohio agent, C. J. Cosma, agent in Uniontown and J. W. Madford, agent at Monaca, W. Va., went to Pittsburgh this afternoon to attend the annual banquet of the Seaboard Air Line, to be held tonight at the General-Phoros Hotel.

Sanitary Detachment Inspection.

All members of the Sanitary Detachment are under order to report at the State Armory this evening at 7:30 o'clock for inspection. They are expected to come cleanly shaved and with shoes polished. Inspection will be held in charge of a Regular Army officer.

Celebrate Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ruliff of Smithton celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Thursday night at their home in the presence of a number of relatives and friends.

### Let Cuticura Keep Your Skin Fresh and Young

Daily use of the Soap keeps the skin smooth and the whitewashers of the skin now and then prevent little skin trouble becoming serious. Cuticura Talcum is ideal for powdering and perfuming.

Safe Robbers Get \$600.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—Robbers carried the safe of the Thomassville post office 500 yards to the tracks of the Western Maryland last night and looted it at their leisure, securing \$600.

First Class Motor Equipment

W. N. LECHE CO.

Popular Priced Store

123 West Crawford Ave.

Connellsville, Pa.

Our Price & Cash

We Give A. N. Green Trading Stamps

### HE IS ONE "TOUGH KID"

Juvenile Jesse James Terrorizes Section of Kentucky.

Clouds Eagle, the juvenile "Jesse James," who terrorized Corbin, Ky., and made a safe getaway there, is a prisoner of Richmond, Ky.

At that, the youngster, small for his eleven years, slipped through the bars while a deputy jailer watched him, unseen, and was making a dash for a door which had been left ajar. The officer grabbed him as he started out, whereupon the youngster exclaimed: "E—ll, I thought I was getting away!"

Eagle was found by Sheriff Elmer Deatherage trying to sell a lady's gold watch and chain. He told the officer his mother had given it to him to sell and buy a bicycle. It developed the watch had been stolen from Mrs. Bob Harrison of Richmond. The boy left Corbin with foot value at \$80,000, after holding two officers at bay with a pistol and shooting a posey.

Clouds walked nearly fifty miles over the mountains after escaping the posse at Corbin.

Good Eyes Are Rare.

The Eyesight Conservation Council of America has issued an announcement showing an alarming state of affairs as far as our sight is concerned. The object of the council is to arouse general interest so that people will be impelled to give the care of their eyes some proper attention. Nine out of ten persons over twenty-one years of age have imperfect sight. Above forty it is almost impossible to find a man or woman with perfect sight. A survey of 10,000 employees of factories and commercial houses in a large city showed that 62 per cent had uncorrected faulty vision and 73 had the defects corrected, making a total of 93 per cent defective eyes.

Human "Game Preserve" in Australia.

In Australia a preserve, or game-preserve, has been established for the benefit of human beings the remnants of a native race that is still in the Stone age of civilization.

These modern men of the Stone age wander over a vast region in the mid-Interior of Australia. About their number little is known, but the total is estimated at 2,000 or thereabouts. Many of them never have seen a white man. A large portion of this region is practically unexplored because of water scarcity and the danger of attack by the natives.

Troubled With Weak Kidneys.

"Have been troubled with weak kidneys since childhood," writes Mrs. G. Hyde, Benzonia, Michigan. "Now just forty and have had terrible backache and that tires our feeling, hardly able to do any work. By using Foley Kidney Pills accompanied with Foley Cathectic Tablets I soon felt like a new person."

Clouds

Card of Thanks.

Mr. John Lewis and family of Vanderhill wish to thank their many friends for their kindness and sympathy extended them during the death of their husband and father; also those who sent floral tributes and donated cards.

Advertisement.

Child Dies at Leisenring.

An infant daughter of Stephen and Anna Kitch of West Leisenring died Friday. The burial took place yesterday afternoon in St. John's Cemetery.

Infant Dies.

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SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 16, 1922

## THE LAST SIX DAYS.

Although Christmas shoppers have been urged for several weeks past to make their purchases early, the last week preceding the Great Gift Day will find many who have failed to display forehandness in the matter of securing their seasonal offerings. There is still opportunity to attend to this very pleasant, even if somewhat arduous duty, if advantage is taken of the facilities available to shoppers of the Connellsville district and they apply themselves diligently during the coming week.

The merchants have made every necessary preparation in point of providing ample stocks and wide varieties from which selections can be made. Extra clerical help has been employed to care for the rush incident to the closing days of the pre-Christmas buying season. Unusually attractive and informative advertisements have been featuring the columns of The Courier according a splendid means of informing prospective buyers as to how a shopping tour can be made with comfort and ease, the articles desired found without long search, and the whole just completed with a sense of satisfaction as to appropriate quality and cost of the gifts selected.

There are many reasons why the present should be quite the best Christmas for the people of this section should have. It may be the best, if such person makes it their purpose and intention to manifest the spirit of the day and strives to bring Christmas cheer to as many hearts as possible. This can be done by limiting your gifts to the immediate members of your family and most intimate friends, no matter how elaborate and costly they may be the reminders you bestow.

It is the number of hours you cheer that is the measure of your joy at Christmastime. In the six days of next week you can equal yourself to make that number greater than you have ever gladdened before if you apply yourself with the necessary industry.

## APPRECIATED APPRECIATION.

When out of a sense of duty to the community a person or agency strives earnestly and faithfully to promote the success of an undertaking which has for its object the amelioration of the hard conditions in the lives of the less fortunate, or the alleviation of distress among those upon whom ill fortune in some form has fallen, and the efforts thus put forth are credited with having contributed in a substantial way to attaining the objective, the labor, time and energy expended are in very large part compensated. At least, The Courier so regards the appreciation conveyed to its editor with so much cordiality by persons associated in an official capacity with two recently conducted campaigns in Connellsville, each of which appealed to voluntary offerings of the people for the purpose of maintaining two organizations devoted to rendering service to those in need.

In order of receipt the first was a letter of thanks from Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Stanton, brigadier commander of the Salvage Army, Pittsburgh, for the encouragement and aid given by The Courier during the recent drive in behalf of the Home Service Fund of the army in the Connellsville district. This message of appreciation reads as follows:

PITTSBURG, PA., DEC. 10, 1922.  
The Editor,  
The Courier,  
Connellsville, Penna.

My Dear Sir—

Edgar E. Parker, our local officer, has not been able to get away as you have stated by him during our recent Home Service Appeal, and I feel I cannot let such service as this go without at least expressing my appreciation.

May your hearts be made glad with the assurance that the Army will fulfill its pledge to Edgar, our Courtesy Officer, and the other officers in the world for 1922-23.

Withing you the compliments of the season and praying God to richly bless you. I am,

Sincerely yours,  
THOMAS STANTON,  
Lieut. Colonel,  
Brigadier Commander.

The second came from W. E. Schuck, executive secretary of the Fayette County Chapter of the American Red Cross. In acknowledgement of the obligation, this organization feels to The Courier for its support during the recent Red Cross Roll Call. The letter follows:

UNIONTOWN, PA., DEC. 14, 1922.  
John L. Gans, Editor,  
The Courier,  
Connellsville, Pa.

Dear Mr. Gans—

Permit me to express to you the sincere appreciation of the officers and directors of the Fayette County Red Cross for the most excellent publicity given by The Courier to the recent Red Cross Roll Call.

I am certain there was not a chapter in the state of Pennsylvania where newspapermen were more full of enthusiasm than in Fayette county. The result of the excellent publicity was the practical attainment of the number of the roll call before the campaign actually opened, as the people had been told through the press of the present day activities of the Red Cross, and this forcibly demonstrates the "power of the press" for on every hard working man was greeted with the statement, "You have been reading in the paper about the Red Cross Roll Call" and had their enrollment fee ready.

With all districts of the country have been submitted a final report to Chapter Headquarters, the report is to be known as the Roll Call. To know that the Roll Call has been successful, and this success we attribute in a large degree to the excellent publicity given by the press of your type.

Again thanking you for your hearty support of the American Red Cross, I am truly yours,

W. E. SCHUCK,  
Executive Secretary,  
Fayette County Chapter, R. R. C.

The foregoing is a reproduction of the kind that can be, and is, very much appreciated.

Seasonal Spirit  
Increases Buying

Business Review of Fourth Federal Reserve Bank

We are entering the holiday season, with its attendant alarm of giving and receiving, and increased buying.

The producer and seller of goods, with the continuing high cost of labor and transportation, are making a determined effort at fixing the price of those goods at prices the public feels right in paying.

Perhaps this justification is found in the realization on the part of the buyer of goods that as an individual he has given ascent to those items which increase production costs, such as labor and transportation. It is the seller of goods who takes undue advantage of a rising market situation by imposing unparalled selling prices, which will be cut off and left to either in his disregard of lessons learned during the recent buyers' rebellion.

There has been a growing conviction with us, which this month's replies from our correspondents augments, that the big-balconed manufacturer does not wish to increase the prices on his manufactured products. He would prefer a larger volume on a smaller margin of profit on a reduced volume of production. He feels that there is more certainty and stability in the large volume and narrow margin which enables him to regulate his buying and operating expenses.

We know of several instances where the manufacturer has absorbed the increased costs of raw materials and other production costs rather than pass them on to the retailer or consumer. There are many instances where these increased costs have very reluctantly been passed on to the trade. Perhaps this is not so much due to a spirit of magnanimity as to the fear of reduced demand, in either case, however, the consumer is the gainer.

In general, business men can be divided into three classes: (1) those interested only in their factory or office, (2) those interested in the industry or profession, and (3) those who have come to realize that their factory or office, their industry or profession is inextricably interwoven in the national or even international business fabric. It is a mighty encouraging and healthy sign to see class number one and two coming over into class number three. Such a view of the whole business structure and a better understanding of causes should have a sobering influence against a recurrence of recent economic excesses and indulgences.

## Just Folks

Edgar A. Gauer.

## GETTING TO CHRISTMAS.

It's getting on to Christmas and a little boy is up before dawnings and to school seems glad to go. And a pair of little stockings which his mother strives about.

Now he has ceased their awful habit of being always inside out.

He's getting on to Christmas, and a shock of tousled hair.

Now what a care and lustre of the now world of devoted care.

And although the pace hockeys that at times the task was rushed, No one could doubt the statement that his hair was combed and brushed.

No longer little garmonds now are flung upon the floor.

And his cap and jacket always hang at the door.

There's a smilin' air about him, things are going as they should.

He's getting on to Christmas, and the rest's a long go.

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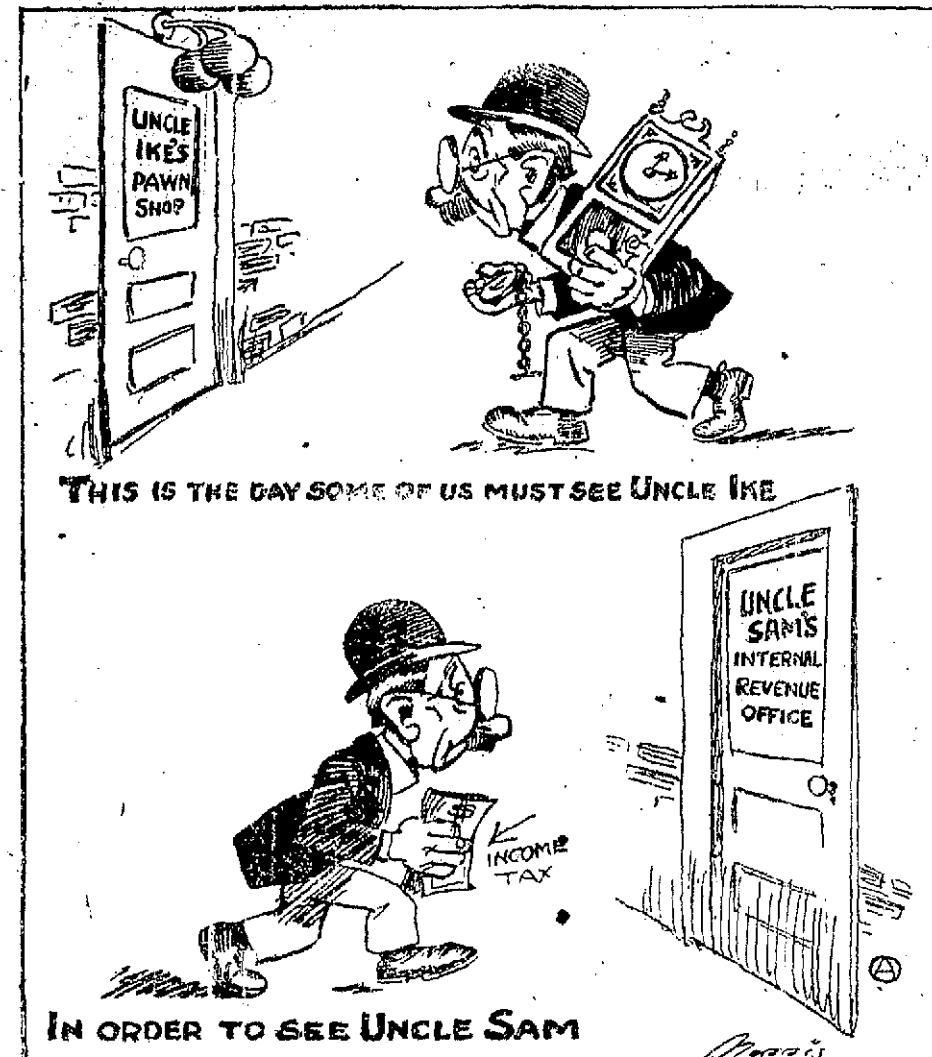
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By MORRIS



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Daughter - Sister  
Brother - Sweetheart

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Every deal is a square deal—right value, right price, right service.

ANDERSON-LOUCKS  
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116 West Crawford Avenue.

Open Evenings Until Christmas.

An Ideal  
Christmas Store

A union Supply Company store is just the place to do your Christmas shopping. Here will be found anything you may need from gifts to Christmas delicacies. In every department are special gift suggestions that will make your Christmas buying easy.

A splendid lot of toys, books, and games will more than delight the fancy of the little folks. While the various clothing departments, the notion department, and the house furnishings and hardware departments are jammed with practical, serviceable, and appropriate gifts for old and young. The grocery and meat departments are carrying the most popular season specialties, including a full line of nuts, loose and fancy package candies, the best dried fruits, canned goods, pastries, and fruits.

Unusual facilities are at hand for prompt handling of special orders.

Another advantage in buying your Christmas goods at a Union Supply Co. store is the considerable saving you will make, not to mention a courteous and efficient service and free deliveries.

## SAVE MONEY

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**ALLEGED HOLDUP  
MEN IDENTIFIED  
AT MT. PLEASANT**

By Davenport and William  
Marina Chard With At-  
tack Hawken.

**SANE FROM MOONSHINE**

Special to the Courier.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 16.—  
City Police, upon Halloween night,  
held up the stable and robbed  
all his men, amounting to about  
70, and when fighting for his  
money, had his thumb almost chewed  
off, as a heart before Justice of the  
Peace L. S. Edes on Thursday afternoon  
positively identified the men who  
robbed him as Roy Davenport and  
William M. Chard. The case was held  
over until this afternoon to see if it  
is permissible to take bail until the  
trial in court or if they must be sent  
to jail.

Mooney Makes Man Insane.  
Chief of Police Robert Smith yes-  
terday took William Hudak to the  
county home. Hudak, who had been  
talking moonshine, became violently  
sane.

Legion Names Officers.  
The following officers were elected:  
Jane Zundell Post, The American  
Legion, Thursday evening: Com-  
mander, Frank E. Waler; first vice-  
commander, Joseph J. Zerna; second  
vice-commander, Charles Dixon; ad-  
jutant, Master Painter; finance offi-  
cer, Joe Kozel; sergeant-at-arms,  
Charles Rott.

Any finer service man than that is ask-  
ing against the government is asking  
to get in touch with the new com-  
mander.

Superior Wins.

The Mount Pleasant Superiors de-  
feated Connellsville team by a score  
of 18-18. The line-up:

Sperry, 10; Connellsville, 18.

McKinney, 3; Henry, 2; Alexander,

A. Rusinko, 3; Riley, 1.

Fal goals—McKinney, 8 out of 11;

4 out of 14.

Frederick Want Games.

A team of basketball players de-  
fined games abroad in the 14-17 year  
class is asked to write W. D. Stohl,  
Main street, Mount Pleasant. He  
will arrange for the Frederick Five to  
play them. This is the "fastest" 14-17  
year aggregation in this part of  
the country.

Mossay-Beckner.

Warren Beckner of West Main  
street, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Beckner,  
and Miss Margaret Mossay of Young-  
town, were married at Cumberland  
yesterday afternoon. Following an  
eastern wedding trip they will be  
home at 919 West Main street,

Mount Pleasant.

Missionary Meeting.

The United Brethren Missionary So-  
ciety met at the church on Tuesday  
afternoon. Following the business  
meeting refreshments were served  
to the hostesses. Mrs. Quist, Mrs.

Jan Hawkins, Mrs. Old Hirer and  
Mrs. Victor Moymant.

Wanamaker Service.

Sunday the Re-Union Presbyterian  
Sunday School will honor as memory  
John Wanamaker, founder of  
Columbus' Presbyterian Sunday School  
of Philadelphia, and for more than half  
a century its superintendent and at  
the time of his death president of the  
international Sunday school Association.

The pastor will speak at the  
morning service on "Christ Coming  
to the World as King and in the  
evening on "The Wild Coming to  
Christ for Truth."

At Church of God.

Services Sunday at the Church of  
God, Sylvester Fuller, pastor, will  
be Sunday school 9:15; preaching  
at 10:30 and 7:30 morning subject  
The Church of the Laelians (The  
Present Period Judged); evening  
subject "Fathers of Man."

Christmas Program.

A very pretty entertainment was  
held at the Church Street School  
building yesterday with great success.  
In every room in the following per-  
sons taking part in a program, Louise  
Marsh, Beatrice Volk, Jean Spencer,  
Charlotte Mullen, Naomi Miller, Dick  
Abraham, Paul Hart, Leonard  
Levinson, Ray McGehee, Ralph  
Brier, Anthony Nicoloff, Katherine  
Warden, Margaret and Charles Hen-  
erson, Thelma Rausch, Margaret  
Kennedy, Eben Nixon, Vilma  
Berg, Gertrude Queen, Ethel  
Werner, Ruth Scam, Frank Nass,  
Grace Galley, Ruth Copeland, Esther  
Gordon, Curtsinger, Novin Cort,  
Grace Reese and Kenneth Crusan.

Connellsville

CONNELLSVILLE, Dec. 16.—Mrs.  
Charles Campbell and children of Con-  
nellsville spent a short time in Penn-  
sylvanian Tuesday evening visiting at the  
home of their parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. J. Amer.

Mr. J. J. McFadden was a Scott-  
dale, visiting Sunday afternoon at the  
home of his sister, Mrs. James Mc-  
Fadden.

Geneva Minch has been very ill  
with pneumonia, but is now getting  
better.

Brace Nicklow moved his family this  
week from the home purchased from  
James Barnett, formerly the F. M.  
Richie's home.

For the who advertise.

McKinney of Leisnigan, for-  
mer merchant of St. Albans, has  
moved his family to the W. E. Mif-  
flin building. He bought the store  
from Bruce Nicklow.

Begin Now

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**DANCE MUSIC**

All Muddled Up. Fox-Trot. Walking the Blues. Waltz. Paul Specht and His Orchestra. A-3740 75c

Carolina in the Morning. Silver Swans. Fox-Trots. Eddie Elkins' Orchestra. A-3737 75c

Beef Kneas. Lovin' Sam. (The Sheik of Alabama). Fox-Trot. Ted Lewis and His Band. A-3730 75c

Choo-Choo Blues. Fox-Trot. That Barkin' Dog (Woof Woof). Intro. "Walking the Dog" Medley. Fox-Trot. Frank Westphal and His Orchestra. A-3743 75c

Fate. Fox-Trot. Ted Lewis and His Band. A Dream of Romance. Fox-Trot. Paul Specht and His Orchestra. A-3733 75c

All for the Love of Mike. You Can Have Him, I Don't Want Him. Didn't Love Him Anyhow Blues. Von and Schenck. A-3735 75c

Lost (A Wandering Girl). Al Jolson. If You Don't Think So, You're Crazy. Frank Cuneo. A-3744 75c

Four o'Clock Blues. Hawaiian Blues. Fox-Trot. Johnny Dunn's Original Jazz Hour. A-3729 75c

You Need Some One, Some One Needs You. From Queen of Hearts. Mammy's Carbon Copy. From "Queen of Hearts." Nord Bayes. A-3742 75c

Mississippi Choo-Choo. Way Down Yonder in New Orleans. Blossom Dearie. A-3731 75c

Instrumental and Vocal Selections

For the Sake of Auld Lang Syne. My Buddy. Edwin Dale. A-3734 75c

I Want to be Ready. Male Quartet. Fisk University Jubilee Singers. A-3726 75c

Yale Songs. Medley No. 1—Yale Bools. Whoop It Up; Good-night Harvard. Bings on Tap; Down the Road. A-3727 75c

Western Stars. Neapolitan Polka. Accordion Solos. Guido Dairo. A-3728 75c

Maui Girl. Waltz. Mountain Hula. Ukulele Solos. Frank Ferera. A-3739 75c

Symphony and Concert Selections

Manon Lescaut. "Il quodle trine moribid." (In These Soft Silken Curtains.) (Puccini) Rosa Ponselle. 7991 \$1.00

La Gioconda. "Cielo a Mar." (Heaven and Ocean.) (Puccini) Charles Hackett. 98040 \$1.50

Robin Adair. Scotch Air. When I Was Seventeen. Swedish folksong. Florine Macbeth. A-3723 \$1.00

Where the Morning Glories Twins Around the Door. I Wonder How the Old Folks Are at Home. Oscar Sage. A-3725 \$1.00

Spanish Dance. Op. 21. (Sarabande.) Canzonetta. From "Concerto in D Major," Op. 25. (Tchaikovsky) Violin Solos. Sasecha Jacobson. A-6223 \$1.50

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**TRY OUR WANT ADS. BUY FROM THOSE WHO ADVERTISE IN THE COURIER**

## Personal Mention

D. H. Vance of South Connellsville, Baltimore & Ohio railroad, received an ugly cut above the right eye last night at Smithfield when he came in contact with a part of the engine. He was stunned for a short time and his eye is badly swollen. He was taken to a doctor at Smithfield and was later brought to his home here where he is under the care of a physician. He will be off duty for a few days.

The best place to shop after all Brownell Shoe Co.—Advertisement.

Mrs. F. E. Market of Isabella road, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bolger of Pittsburgh.

Yes, we are open evenings until Xmas. Come in and see Gulbransen Piano, \$395; \$495; \$600; and \$700. Peter R. Weimer—Advertisement.

Mrs. Katherine Knob, a school teacher, is having a sandwich breakfast during the Xmas. Saturday for the Christmas holidays.

Special low prices on all phonographs, \$15 to \$25 worth records given free with each sale until Christmas. A. P. Freed's Music Store.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22-27.

Mrs. Vera E. Long is able to be about the house after a several weeks illness.

Christmas Slippers is a complete stock. Styles for dad, brother, son and mother. Davis Shoe Company—Advertisement.—Dec. 21.

Mrs. and Mrs. James Marietta and Mrs. William Billhardt of Pittsburgh were among the out-of-town persons here for the funeral of Rockwell Martin.

Downs' Shoe Store is now all set for Christmas. Most everything you can think of in footware, shoes, slippers, hose, galoshes, Russian boots, and warm footwear. What would make a more acceptable gift than foot-wear?—Advertisement.—Dec. 24.

Mrs. H. C. Hoffman and two daughters of Nine street, spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

We have 200 designs of Christmas Greeting Cards, '25 cards and envelopes. Your name included for \$2.25. Come in and see them at Kestner's Book Store, 125 West Apple street.—Advertisement.—Dec. 9.

Mrs. C. W. Lysinger has returned from Tulsa, Okla., where she was the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lysinger for three weeks.

Boys' high top shoes. The ideal gift for brother. See them at the Davis Shoe Company.—Advertisement.—Dec. 21.

Mrs. W. O. Adrian returned home last night from a visit in Pittsburgh.

Buy—Edison Mardi lamps Frank Sweeney, 100 South Pittsburg street.—Advertisement.

Mrs. and Mrs. Thomas McIntyre of Dawson were shopping here today. You can play Brunswick Records on any phonograph. Come and hear them. Open evenings until Xmas. Peter R. Weimer—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

Mrs. E. H. Fenstermacher was a Pittsburgh shopper yesterday.

New shoes in mid-season styles arriving just in time for holiday dressing. Davis Shoe Company.—Advertisement.—Dec. 14-23.

Mrs. E. M. Butz of Pittsburgh is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerman of South Prospect street.

The new thing in footware is galoshes and Russian boots. Downs' Shoe Store buys them for men, women, boys, girls and children. What can you buy for a Christmas gift that would be more appreciated?—Advertisement.—Dec. 15.

Mrs. W. McWilliams of Southdale was a Connellsville shopper yesterday.

Just received a lot of late model Hoover Sweepers. Why not get Mother one for Christmas at A. P. Freed's Amplifluna Store.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22-27.

Mrs. J. T. Good of Dickerson Run was shopping here today.

Give hoseery this year. All styles for men, women and children. Davis Shoe Company.—Advertisement.—Dec. 14-21.

Mrs. J. Hasson, who has been ill at his home in South Seventh street, West Side, went to Pittsburgh this morning to receive medical treatment at the Allegheny General Hospital. He will return home tonight.

The largest stock of Player Piano rolls in the city. Open evenings. Peter R. Weimer—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

John H. Moore, a member of the West Virginia Wesleyan University football team, Buckhannon, W. Va., has returned to his home here for the Christmas vacation. He was accompanied by William Young of Buckhannon, who will spend the holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bishop.

If you want a square deal and high-grade piano at the right price, see Peter R. Weimer.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

Mrs. Eliza Leach suffered an ankle sprain in a fall Thursday evening at the home of her nephew, Calvin Hanna, in Greely alley. She made a mistake at the foot of the porch steps.

What do you want to pay for a Christmas gift, 50c to \$3.00? Why Christmas gift, 50c to \$3.00? Why not slippers or hoseery, \$3.50 to \$5.00? Why not galoshes or Russian boots? More than \$5.00, then why not dress shoes or evening slippers? Deaf Christmas gifts. Downs' Shoe Store.—Advertisement.—Dec. 13-24.

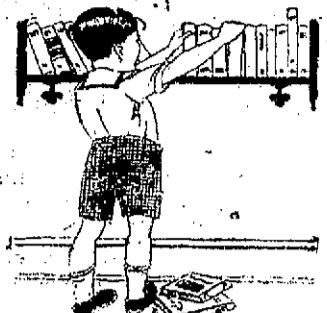
Let us have your order now for Dele's Mead Sweets. We pack and deliver everywhere. Kegay's Drug Store, South Side.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

Mrs. Edward Messer of Pittsburgh, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Renner of Winter avenue.

Visit our up-to-date boot department, where you will find the best in popular copyright and late fiction, which make appropriate Christmas gifts at Kestner's Book Store, 125 West Apple street.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

Rev. Max Wiant of Reading, formerly of Connellsville, will preach at the Great Bethel Baptist Church of Uniontown Sunday morning and evening.

## MOTHERS AND THEIR CHILDREN



## DERIVATION OF GRASS WIDOW

Term Probably is Corruption of Grace and Comes From Middle Ages Usage.

How did the term "grass widow" arise? The most popular derivation, according to Pearson's Weekly, is that "grass" is a corruption of grace, the pronunciation of which, in the Latin, is grise.

In the Middle Ages widows were said to be "under God's grace" for a year after their husband's death, at the end of which period they might properly, if they wished, remarry, and so a widow in grace meant a new widow.

About the same time the wives of the marriages that were, in exceptional cases, annulled by the church, began also to be spoken of as widows of grace. In the rather different sense that they owed their virtual widowhood to the "grace" or favor of the church. So, then, a grace—widow—was a widow in grace.

Special low prices on all phonographs, \$15 to \$25 worth records given free with each sale until Christmas. A. P. Freed's Music Store.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22-27.

Mrs. Vera E. Long is able to be about the house after a several weeks illness.

Christmas Slippers is a complete stock. Styles for dad, brother, son and mother. Davis Shoe Company—Advertisement.—Dec. 21.

Mrs. and Mrs. James Marietta and Mrs. William Billhardt of Pittsburgh were among the out-of-town persons here for the funeral of Rockwell Martin.

Downs' Shoe Store is now all set for Christmas. Most everything you can think of in footware, shoes, slippers, hose, galoshes, Russian boots, and warm footwear. What would make a more acceptable gift than foot-wear?—Advertisement.—Dec. 24.

Mrs. C. W. Lysinger has returned from Tulsa, Okla., where she was the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lysinger for three weeks.

Boys' high top shoes. The ideal gift for brother. See them at the Davis Shoe Company.—Advertisement.—Dec. 21.

Mrs. W. O. Adrian returned home last night from a visit in Pittsburgh.

Buy—Edison Mardi lamps Frank Sweeney, 100 South Pittsburg street.—Advertisement.

Mrs. and Mrs. Thomas McIntyre of Dawson were shopping here today. You can play Brunswick Records on any phonograph. Come and hear them. Open evenings until Xmas. Peter R. Weimer—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

Mrs. E. H. Fenstermacher was a Pittsburgh shopper yesterday.

New shoes in mid-season styles arriving just in time for holiday dressing. Davis Shoe Company.—Advertisement.—Dec. 14-23.

Mrs. E. M. Butz of Pittsburgh is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerman of South Prospect street.

The new thing in footware is galoshes and Russian boots. Downs' Shoe Store buys them for men, women, boys, girls and children. What can you buy for a Christmas gift that would be more appreciated?—Advertisement.—Dec. 15.

Mrs. W. McWilliams of Southdale was a Connellsville shopper yesterday.

Just received a lot of late model Hoover Sweepers. Why not get Mother one for Christmas at A. P. Freed's Amplifluna Store.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22-27.

Mrs. J. T. Good of Dickerson Run was shopping here today.

Give hoseery this year. All styles for men, women and children. Davis Shoe Company.—Advertisement.—Dec. 14-21.

Mrs. J. Hasson, who has been ill at his home in South Seventh street, West Side, went to Pittsburgh this morning to receive medical treatment at the Allegheny General Hospital. He will return home tonight.

The largest stock of Player Piano rolls in the city. Open evenings. Peter R. Weimer—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

John H. Moore, a member of the West Virginia Wesleyan University football team, Buckhannon, W. Va., has returned to his home here for the Christmas vacation. He was accompanied by William Young of Buckhannon, who will spend the holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bishop.

If you want a square deal and high-grade piano at the right price, see Peter R. Weimer.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

Mrs. Eliza Leach suffered an ankle sprain in a fall Thursday evening at the home of her nephew, Calvin Hanna, in Greely alley. She made a mistake at the foot of the porch steps.

What do you want to pay for a Christmas gift, 50c to \$3.00? Why Christmas gift, 50c to \$3.00? Why not slippers or hoseery, \$3.50 to \$5.00? Why not galoshes or Russian boots? More than \$5.00, then why not dress shoes or evening slippers? Deaf Christmas gifts. Downs' Shoe Store.—Advertisement.—Dec. 13-24.

Let us have your order now for Dele's Mead Sweets. We pack and deliver everywhere. Kegay's Drug Store, South Side.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

Mrs. Edward Messer of Pittsburgh, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Renner of Winter avenue.

Visit our up-to-date boot department, where you will find the best in popular copyright and late fiction, which make appropriate Christmas gifts at Kestner's Book Store, 125 West Apple street.—Advertisement.—Dec. 11.

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## Painting Sets

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Simply Crushed  
Young Jester was something of a pianist, was cutting for the first time upon a young lady whom he much admired.

Now not only the young lady but her mother and a number of guests were present. The house was soon filled with the sound of the piano and the young Jester, who was most anxious to exhibit his skill, said with due modesty:

"Why, yes; I think I might claim to be good." "My daughter is going to play, and I will take it to be very kind of you if you will sing the music for her."—Minneapolis Tribune.

## Daily Short Story.

Tiberius Simenwhiffle the book-keeper was trying to shine up to the new widow.

She wore a terry for him.

"For real," he replied. "I will give you your choice of a package of cigarettes or a nice kiss."

"I don't smoke cigarettes," said she haughtily.

Then he didn't know what to do.

Louisville Courier-Journal.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday we close at 5:30 as usual. Thursday and Friday we close at 9, Saturday open to 10 P. M.

\$3.00 to \$12.50

## Accessories

Christmas time accessories like Christmas Tree Fences at \$1.25 and \$1.75, Christmas Tree Lighting strings complete at \$2.50, Christmas Tree Stockings from 25c to \$1.50, Horns from 50c up, etc. Each lighting outfit has 8 lights with a multiple coupling socket, which means two or more strings as desired may be connected in series and lit from one socket.

## New Dolls

A splendid assortment of new jointed dolls have added a note of fresh interest to our doll displays. They come in a number of sizes, boast real wigs of curly hair and eyes that go to sleep. They are very pretty faced dolls and priced very low because of their late arrival.

## Teddy Bears

All youngsters love teddy bears. They have come to be as necessary to childhood as the bumps and falls of a youngster just learning to walk. We have them here in wee small sizes or in great large ones. Most of them are the regulation golden color but a few are polar white. Too you will find a big assortment of stuffed animals like horses, cows, sheep and Laddie Boy the White House Airedale.

\$1.25 to \$4.00

## Pianos

Beloved of the wee girls next





**The Dissolution  
of J. and M.**

By JANE OSBORN

1927, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.

There were four of them, Jean and Jane, Maud and Matilda, and they all lived together in a little white house in Hilton and taught school in the Hilton public schools.

"There's nothing to it," said Jean one evening after the supper dishes were out of the way and the four had gathered round the lamp that stood on the center table of their living room.

"Nothing to what?" said Jane, looking up from the algebra papers she was correcting.

"Nothing to school teaching," Jean explained. "You work like a horse all day with such big classes that about all you can do is to keep order and drive in enough facts to get the bright children to pass at examination. You come home tired."

"And what do you get?" Maud took up the refrain.

"A bare existence," sighed Matilda. "And you never meet any one," Jean resumed. "Look at a stenographer. Doesn't have to know much as much as a teacher and she meets men. She gets married else she starts in business by herself and makes good money."

"I don't care about getting married," said Matilda. "But—" she hesitated and took a chocolate from the box of bonbons open on the table.

"Let's start in business, the four of us. It was Jane who made the proposition.

"Then and there it was agreed that they should go into business with a capital B. In a few more months the school term would be over. They could start the day after school closed, see how they made out, and if prospects were good they would all head in their resignations by August. That would give the school board time enough to get other teachers."

"Let's make candy," said Jane, who had followed Matilda's example and was nibbling a chocolate cream. "Chocolate is six cents a pound at retail. Chocolate is fifteen, and candy, that is mostly sugar and chocolate, sells for eighty cents a pound."

So it was agreed that they should start a candy business. Also it was agreed that they should operate under the name of the J. & M. Company. Then some one suggested that they must have capital. They must have a shop in a prominent place to sell their wares. They must start from the first with good equipment. They would need at least ten thousand dollars, and the combined savings made only one thousand. Some one must find the necessary funds and it was easy for Jane to persuade the other that Arthur Hayden, confirmed old bachelor and shrewd business man, should be approached. He was the town's richest man. He was most active in enforcing the latest amendment in Hilton. The fact that prohibition had created a keen demand for candy ought to be a good argument with him.

Lots were drawn, and before the school teachers retired that night it had been settled that Maud should undertake this quest of capital. The fates had decided wisely. Maud was aggressive and unafraid. She taught 32 boys because she had a firm command of herself at all times. Her eye was dark and steady and shyness had been left out of her makeup.

So Maud went to see Arthur Hayden. Arthur Hayden did not want to see her. He avoided her, but she was insistent. He was not especially interested in the business, but he was attracted by her brisk manner. She did not feel the need to be the best of Hilton because she had a candy store. More than his own business, though in a prosperous condition, was in need of every bit of capital he could command. But Maud came home with her pledge of a thousand dollars.

The next day she called again on Mr. Hayden and that night announced herself as out of the compact.

"Mr. Hayden has offered me a salary that amounts to twice what I am making now. He wants me to begin as soon as school is over. My first work will be to sell stock for Hayden and company."

The fact was that Mr. Hayden had been very favorably impressed with the selling ability of the young woman who had actually been able to convince him to subscribe a thousand dollars to his business enterprise in spite of himself. Mr. Hayden called several times on the teachers, and then one day he came with good news for Jane.

He was president of the local board of education. They were in need of a superintendent of elementary schools and Mr. Hayden, having looked up Jane's record, had convinced the board that she was the best candidate for that position. This meant double Jane's present salary. It meant an opportunity to use talents which she knew she possessed. So Jean and Matilda were sole survivors of the J. and M. company.

One hot day in July after school had closed they started to work in the kitchen of the J. and M. company, where the temperature was ten degrees higher than it was in the sweltering street of Hilton. But Matilda stood over the kesties of boiling fudge and caramels with undaunted spirit. It was she who had bought the equipment; she who had taken a week to work in a large candy kitchen in New York, she who had bargained with the wholesale dealers for sugar, chocolate and other supplies. Jean, very limp, and with tears near the surface, was behind the counter selling the products of the J. & M. company to the customers, who were numerous even within the first week of the enterprise.

Mr. Hayden was a frequent customer. Sometimes he lingered for an hour when purchasing a single box of candy. Sometimes he walked through the well-equipped kitchen, looking with unhidden admiration at Matilda with her smooth blonde hair hidden beneath her little white cap. Jean's tears were specially dear to

surface, though Jean couldn't exactly have told why.

Then one day Hayden had a long conversation with Matilda. He had long contemplated starting a lunchroom and recreation center for the thousand or so men and girls who worked in the Hayden company factories. Now he asked Matilda if she would undertake this work for \$8,000 a year to start with. Matilda took a time to consider. It would be many a long month before she could possibly take a thousand dollars salary from the earnings of the J. & M. company, and stirring caramel and fudge mixture had proved not even so inspiring as teaching elementary school children.

The next day Mr. Hayden found Jean alone in the candy kitchen. She was struggling with the candy mixture. And as Mr. Hayden stood there looking, the tears broke out and ran down her cheek while she brushed one away with a finger that left a chocolate smudge in its wake.

"I don't see why you took them all away," she said reproachfully. "We've got to go on because we've got all this equipment, but I'd rather teach school—a great deal rather—and—"

"I thought you were tired of teaching," said Mr. Hayden, drawing very near to the tearful Jean.

"I was—but—"

"Suppose I find some one to buy the business as it stands. The small amount I invested hardly matters. Still, we could cover that and quite a little more. Suppose then I made an offer for you that met with your approval?"

"But I'm not like Maud and Matilda and Jane," said Jean.

"No, you're not," agreed Mr. Hayden. "I watched you all and enjoyed you carefully. There is one vocation for which you are far better fitted than the rest—and it isn't selling stock or superintending schools or managing a recreation center and luncheon or even running a candy business."

"Oh," said Jean, smiling through her tears, "is there anything you think I really am fitted for? Really, I don't care how small the salary was if I felt that I was really suited for it."

Then Mr. Hayden, confirmed old bachelor that he was, held two arms out and took the startled little Jean to him. "You are best suited to be my wife. I need you, dear little girl. I must have you. Will you marry me?"

And Jean, like the rest, did not hesitate to accept Mr. Hayden's proposition.

**FAMED AS GREAT AMERICAN**

John Winthrop Figures in History as the "Father of Massachusetts"—Leader in All Things.

John Winthrop, rightly called the Father of Massachusetts, for 30 years the guiding spirit of the colony, and for 12 of those 10 years its governor, died at his home in Boston, March 26, 1649.

The passing of Winthrop marked the end of a distinct era in the history of the Massachusetts Bay colony. The era of Winthrop was an era of progress, of colonization, of religious intolerance, held constantly in check by the moderation and kindly spirit of the chief magistrate himself. It is told that when Winthrop was on his death bed he was visited by Thomas Dudley, then deputy governor, and pressed to sign an order of banishment against a person holding false religious opinions. "No," said Winthrop, putting the paper aside. "I have done too much of that work already."

Originally one of the wealthy men of the colony, Winthrop had been robbed some ten years before by a rascally steward of an estate worth in present terms of money, several hundred thousand dollars. All that remained Winthrop had disposed of for the benefit of his living children and his creditors.

World's Climate Changeless.

The first striking fact in the geological history of climate is that the present climate of the world has been maintained since the date of the earliest, unaltered sedimentary deposits.

The oldest sandstones of the Scotch highlands and the English longmynd show that in pre-Cambrian times the winds had the same strength, the right-hand winds were of the same size, and they fell with the same force as at the present day. The mean climate of the world has been fairly constant, though there have been local variations which have led to the development of glaciers in regions now let free, at various points in the geological scale. This has been no progressive cooling of the earth since the date of the oldest sedimentary rocks is shown by their lithological characters, and by the recurrence of glacial deposits, some of which were laid down at low levels at intervals throughout geological time according to the United States geological survey.

All but the Viz.

Recently a chattel mortgage in a rural district was foreclosed on the following:

"Eight oxen, viz., one yoke (2) named Tom and Bill; one yoke (2) named Spot and Black; one yoke (2) named Red and Sam; one yoke (2) named John and Peter."

The sheriff made his levy, and reported that he had made diligent search around defendant's premises, but had been unable to find the "viz." An old negro, who worked at the sawmill where the oxen were found, said to the sheriff: "Boss, I've been working round here ober since de been any sawmill, and I hasn't never seen no vizes."—From Off the Record.

Carried Back.

"How did you happen to let that circus agent get a 'story' on the front page of your paper?"

"I couldn't resist him," said the editor of the Chiggerville Clarion. "He came into the sometime with a hand full of sawdust and a sack of peanuts. The atmosphere he created was too much for me."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

**HARD LUCK**



**CYPRESS IS 800 YEARS OLD**

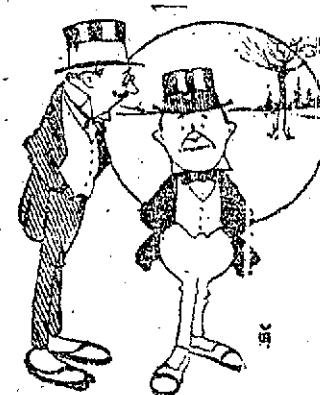
"Great Tree of Tule" in State of Oaxaca is Beginning to Show Signs of Wear and Tear.

The "Great Tree of Tule" in the state of Oaxaca, after some 800 years of recorded existence, is beginning to show signs of wear and tear. A giant cypress with a trunk as huge that little persons with outstretched arms can scarcely span it is known to have been a favorite tree when Columbus discovered America, and history recounts that Cortes and his Spanish soldiers slept beneath its branches four centuries ago when en route to Honduras following their conquest of Mexico.

Although time has dealt kindly with the monarch, a correspondent during a recent visit to the tiny village of Santa Maria del Tule, Oaxaca, noticed that the wrinkles of age are beginning to show. There is no cause for worry, however, that Tule, as the Indians affectionately call the tree, will wither away before the present generation has passed on. Even if it should, Tule has a son some 200 yards away from the parental boughs that is showing healthy signs of maintaining the family honor in the matter of robustness. This son, as the Indians have named it, is so large that twelve persons are needed to span it, and it is only a couple of hundred years old.

The Great Tree of Tule rises about 125 feet and is said to be one of the largest specimens in the world. The spread of its branches is almost 150 feet. It stands in the courtyard of a tiny church and is the only landmark in the village of Santa Maria del Tule, where the people revere the tree almost as much as one of their saints.—New York Post.

**SHY DAYS**



**PROTECTED BY AIR ENVELOPE**

Without the Atmosphere Surrounding It, the Earth Would Be Bombed by Meteors.

The ordinary shooting star, or meteor may be a piece of matter probably not much bigger than a baseball. Millions of these small bodies move about in the wide regions of space.

It is one of the great laws of astronomy that every body, whether it is a tiny meteor or a large star, must revolve about some other body. The meteors travel in elliptical orbits around the sun. For millions of years they may continue on their paths, and one day a swiftness of time begins to feel the pull of the earth's attraction.

They are dragged from their path, slowly at first, and then with enormously increasing speed until at last they strike the envelope of air which surrounds this planet.

Here, owing to their terrific speed, such great friction is set up that they catch fire and flash across the sky, leaving a trail of glowing dust behind them.

It is a good thing for us that we have such a meteor catcher as the atmosphere to protect us. Otherwise we should be subjected to a countless bombardment of stones and pieces of metal from the realms of space.

Occasionally a giant among the shooting stars pays us a visit in the form of a fire ball or meteorite, weighing several tons. These big fellows are often not entirely consumed as they pass through the air. They generally burst into large fragments at some distance from the earth's surface, and their flying parts have worked havoc on many occasions.

Have Not Been Visited, but Are Believed to Rival Those of the Yellowstone.

Near the head of the Copper river in Alaska, in a very rough and broken country, above which rises the cone of the extinct volcano Mount Wrangell, there exists, according to the report of a government officer, a nest of gigantic geysers which may exceed those of the Yellowstone valley in power and magnitude.

The officer was unable to approach near the geysers, but he saw many in eruption from a distance, and he thinks that the steam from the geysers has given rise to erroneous reports from various sources that the center of Mount Wrangell is still active. The surrounding country is so rough with its craggy gneiss and lava beds that the officer is of the opinion that it would be almost impossible for explorers to reach the mountain.—New York Herald.

Strange Good-Luck Charm.

The famous gambling resorts of Deauville and Monte Carlo are unusually rich in superstitions, and queer are the faiths of the men and women gamblers in good-luck "charms" and omens.

At Monte Carlo a man and woman appeared at the tables each night, and while the man played, the woman remained seated nursing a black cat for luck. The man's luck was good at first, but it changed later. To play with the cat and count the fingers of the left hand crossed is a device which one woman affirms gave her luck, but she could not explain it.

At Deauville a Russian explained his success by admitting that he ate a considerable quantity of almonds after dinner every night. Amethyst pins are popular at the gambling resorts because of their alleged luck-bringing virtues, and every hunchback that appears on the streets is rubbed lightly constantly.

It Can Be Done.

"How old is Grandpa Twobble?"

"On the sunny side of forty."

"Nonsense! He must be at least seventy years old."

"When Grandpa Twobble crossed the great divide he took his sunshine with him."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Most Unusual.

Hubb—Your bill for flowers was something terrible this month, my dear.

Wife—Don't fear, you must remember that Fido doesn't usually get sick as he was this month.—American Legions Weekly.

# Hunch, Prejudice, or Logic?

Which do YOU use in placing your advertising?

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The advertiser using A. B. C. reports does not have to piece together bits of information. When he places a campaign after reading the facts about an A. B. C. paper, as given in a report by the Bureau, he knows that every page of every issue is going to count. He will reach the reader he wants.

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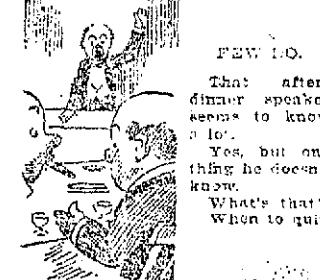
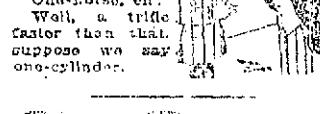
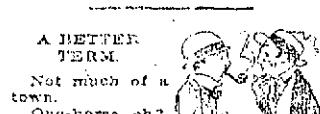
## WANTED

Have you a vacant room which you wish to rent to some desirable young man or woman? Right now, at the approach of the winter season, hundreds of folks are reading the want ad columns each day in search of pleasant living quarters. Your advertisement meets the eyes of these eager searchers a few minutes after publication. Make that vacant room pay dividends. Invite a "paying guest" and enjoy the additional revenue. Rent your vacant room now and cut down living expenses. Put a "want ad" in



## The Daily Courier

"The Paper With the Want Ads."



## IF YOU HAVE A PRINTING WANT

WE WANT TO KNOW  
WHAT IT IS

Putting out good printing is our business, and when we say GOOD PRINTING we don't mean fair, but the best obtainable. If you are "from Missouri" give us a trial and we will

## WHERE CORN AND GRAIN ARE SAFE

Combination Crib and Granary Makes Economical Storage House.

### ARRANGEMENT SAVES LABOR

Structure of This Kind Now Considered One of Important Units of Farm Building Groups—Guards Against Rats.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD  
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on any subject relating to the subject of building work on the farm. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the best authority on all such subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 227 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

Hanging the crops on the farm until market conditions are better than when the grains are harvested means a considerable increase in the gross returns from the season's operations. That is why many farmers in the grain belt are erecting modern structures designed to keep the crops in good condition and protected from the enemies that prey upon them. These enemies are the weather and animals, principally rats.

The modern corn crib and granary is now considered one of the important units of the farm building group. We're not so many years ago, stood

in the best of condition, and at the same time keeps out the rain.

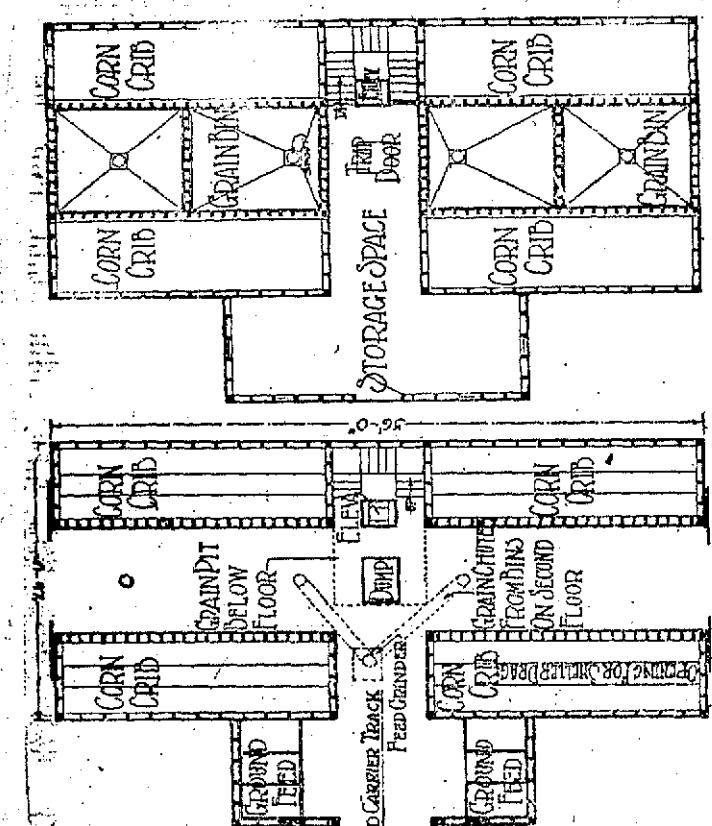
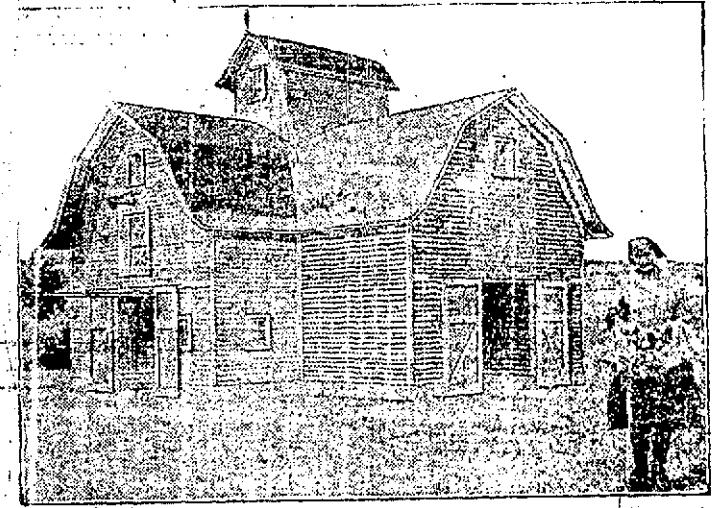
In the center of the building there is a grain dump, by which the corn may be emptied into the endless belt carrier that takes the corn up to the cupola and spouts it to either one of the four cribs through the swiveling spout. This elevator is operated by a gas engine, or electric motor.

In the same manner the small grains are elevated to the bins that are on the second floor over the driveway. These bins are constructed of matched lumber and have tight floors.

The additional feature of this building is the feed grinding and storage rooms at one side. On the third floor is the storage room, which has bins connected with those on the second floor. The grain goes by gravity to the first-floor bins, where is located the grinding machinery. An overhead carrier track connects this room with the barn or hog house nearby, so that the ground feed can be loaded into it and transported directly to the mangers. This system, it will readily be seen, is a labor-saver and one that will earn greater profits on the investment in the building. The dimensions of the building are 20 by 50 feet, exclusive of the L-shaped feed room.

One of the first questions most farmers will ask about this building is, "How much will it cost?" The cost of any building will vary in different sections because of labor conditions, distance from sources of building material supplies and for other reasons. The best plan when considering the erection of a new building is to consult the local building contractor or building material dealer. These men can give accurate estimates of cost and can provide the owner with plans of the building to be erected.

However, a well-constructed building lasts many years and earns high



An open, dilapidated shed and often times just a few fence rails piled to make an enclosure to hold the ear corn, there now is a weather-light, well-constructed building that is equipped with a power elevator to carry corn to the cribs. In connection with the cribs there are added tight bins for the storage of small grains, such as wheat, oats, barley and rye.

Going a step farther, farm building architects have incorporated into the building other features that add to their value and decrease the amount of labor necessary to make the most profit from the crops. Such a building, a combined corncrib, granary and feed storage house, is shown in the accompanying illustration.

This building is intended to be erected only a short distance from the dairy, or beef cattle-barn, or the hog house, depending upon which type of live stock, the farmer specializes in. For it is the farmer who combines grain production with the meat business who is getting the most profit from his farm. Crib prices are comparatively low, while live stock prices are nearly always high in proportion. A study of the floor plans that accompany the exterior view of this building will show how the interior is arranged for the convenience of the owner. At the same time the building is so constructed that it will keep the crops protected from the weather and rats. It is set on a concrete foundation, with sturdy frame necessary because of the pressure the stored corn exerts against the walls. On either side of the ten-foot driveway that runs through the center of the building are two corncribs, each ten feet wide. The walls of the cribs are made of crib siding, which admits plenty of ventilation, which corn needs to mature and to keep it

interest rates on the investment through the conservation of the crops and the decrease in the cost of the labor required to handle them.

One View of Pleasure. Pleasure is nothing else but the intermission of pain, the enjoyment of something I am, in great trouble for till I get it.—John Nelson.

DECORATES MOTHER OF 15

Example for French Women to Follow, Say Cabinet Member.

A woman farmer, Mme. Cheminot, the mother of fifteen children, fourteen of whom are working the land at Le Veurde, France, was decorated with the order of agricultural merit by Minister of Agriculture Cheron. M. Cheron said it was the government's duty to salute such a woman as an example for all French women to follow.

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in the best of condition, and at the same time keeps out the rain.

In the center of the building there is a grain dump, by which the corn may be emptied into the endless belt carrier that takes the corn up to the cupola and spouts it to either one of the four cribs through the swiveling spout. This elevator is operated by a gas engine, or electric motor.

In the same manner the small grains are elevated to the bins that are on the second floor over the driveway.

These bins are constructed of matched lumber and have tight floors.

The additional feature of this building is the feed grinding and storage rooms at one side. On the third floor is the storage room, which has bins connected with those on the second floor.

The grain goes by gravity to the first-floor bins, where is located the grinding machinery. An overhead carrier track connects this room with the barn or hog house nearby, so that the ground feed can be loaded into it and transported directly to the mangers.

This system, it will readily be seen, is a labor-saver and one that will earn greater profits on the investment in the building. The dimensions of the building are 20 by 50 feet, exclusive of the L-shaped feed room.

One of the first questions most farmers will ask about this building is, "How much will it cost?" The cost of any building will vary in different sections because of labor conditions, distance from sources of building material supplies and for other reasons.

The best plan when considering the erection of a new building is to consult the local building contractor or building material dealer. These men can give accurate estimates of cost and can provide the owner with plans of the building to be erected.

However, a well-constructed building lasts many years and earns high

## NATION AT WAR TO BE ETCHED ON MOUNTAIN

Tribute to Confederates Who Died for "the Cause."

### GUTZON BORGLOM IN CHARGE

One of the Greatest Memorials Ever Known Is Being Carved Near Atlanta, Ga.—Generals Lee, Jackson, Gordon and Stewart Will Be Depicted Leading Their Armies—Figures Are 30 Feet High—Hundreds of Sculptors Volunteer.

One of the greatest memorials the world has ever known—a tribute to the soldiers who fought and died for the "Lost Cause" is being carved in the rock on the sheer side of Stone mountain, 10 miles east of Atlanta, Ga., says the New York World.

For a mile across the smooth, perpendicular face of this giant mountain, all the pomp and circumstance of a nation at war will be etched, and at the head of its soldiers, leading them into battle, will be Gen. Robert E. Lee, idol of the Confederacy, and one of the greatest military leaders the world has ever known. Behind him, in detail, will be shown General Stonewall Jackson, John G. Gordon, J. E. B. Stuart and Jefferson Davis.

Eight years will be required to complete the project, which includes besides the carving on the mountain side, a park of several hundred acres at the base, an open-air theater patterned after the Coliseum of ancient Rome, and capable of seating 20,000 persons; a museum hollowed out of the mountain wherein will be deposited treasures of war to be dedicated to the Daughters of the Confederacy.

Some idea of the magnitude of the statue can be gained from the outline of General Lee's head, which has been placed in position on the mountain. It is 9 feet in height. The nose is 2 feet. His complete figure, on his charger, will be over 30 feet high. All the other figures will be carved in equally heroic proportions.

Borglum in Charge.

Gutzon Borglum, world-renowned sculptor, will have complete charge of the work, while hundreds of sculptors from all over the world have written him, asking permission to assist.

Mr. Borglum has donated his services. He says that he intends to make the Stone mountain memorial, the greatest thing he has ever done. He would not allow the Daughters of the Confederacy, originators of the plan, even to pay his expenses while he is in Atlanta at work, but instead has insisted in raising funds to pay for the actual expenses incidental to the work and himself has contributed. He says all of the other artists who have asked to be allowed to assist, simply wish the distinction of having part in the work and seek to pay. Mr. Borglum said:

"People of the world cannot visualize the magnitude of this undertaking. It will become one of the world's greatest classics. It will be greater than the Lion of Lucerne, and that seventh wonder of the world, the Colossus of Rhodes, and will take its place among the marvels of the universe. I am happy and proud to have a part in the undertaking, and I intend to make it my life's work."

One of the main difficulties will be to find men enough to do the work. Many of them engaged in it, may lose their lives for a false step at any time will mean instantaneous death, yet the thought of danger only heightens my desire to overcome all obstacles. And what great work has ever been accomplished without its attendant tragedy?

"The Stone mountain shall become in reality, it shall live as long as man himself to perpetuate the memory of those stirring Civil war days."

He Will Work at Night.

Mr. Borglum plans to do some of his work at night. To that end, he has designed an especially powerful telescope lens for the projection of magnified figures against the huge mass of granite, by means of which, with a powerful light, photographs are to be thrown against the side of the mountain, as upon a projecting screen.

"Many people scoffed at this idea at first," Mr. Borglum said, "but I told them they could project pictures on Mars if they could get a powerful enough light. Carving statues at night will be something new, but it is just as feasible as working in the day."

Work on the memorial was started in 1916, when sufficient money to care for all incidental expenses was raised. However, the war made it necessary to halt operations, and only recently has it been resumed.

Mr. Borglum is assisted by several engineers, actively supervising the erection of scaffolding down the side of the mountain from the top, and after drawing the head of General Lee, supplemented plating on the exact spot where he will begin to work. He has laid out all the other principal figures.

At present he is completing a \$10,000 assignment for Newark, N. J., to be known as the All-American war memorial, which commission he accepted before the work on Stone mountain memorial was renewed. As soon as this has been completed, he will return to Atlanta and resume his work. He will remain there until it has been completed and the memorial is an actual fact.

That will be in 1920.

For eight years of continual work will be required to complete the memorial.

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# The BLIND MAN'S EYES

BY WILLIAM MACHARG & EDWIN BALMER

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"Yes; Father didn't want you bothered by that work just now. Didn't he tell you?"

"He told me that, of course, Harry, and that he had asked you to reprove me as much as you could; he didn't say he had told you to take charge of the papers. Did he do that?"

"I thought that was implied. If you need them, I'll get them for you, Don. Do you want them?"

"She got up and went toward the safe where she had put them; suddenly she stopped. What it was that she had felt under his tone and manner, she could not tell; it was probably only irritation at having important work taken out of his hands. But whatever it was, he was not openly expressing it—he was even being careful that it should not be expressed. And now suddenly, as he followed and came close behind her and her mind went swiftly to her father lying helpless upstairs, and her father's trust in her, she said:

"We must ask Father," she said.

"Ask him!" he ejaculated. "Why?"

"He faced him uncertainly, not knowing.

"That's rather ridiculous. Harry, especially as it is too late to ask him tonight." His voice was suddenly rough in his irritation. "I have had charge of these very things for years; they concern the matters in which your father particularly confides in me. It is impossible that he meant you to take them out of my hands like this. He must have meant only that you were to give me what help you could with them! Harry, don't you see that you are putting me in a false position—wronging me? You are acting as though you did not trust me!"

"Do trust me, Don; at least I have no reason to distrust you. I only say we must ask Father."

"They're in your little safe?"

"She nodded. "Yes."

"And you'll not give them to me?"

"No."

He stared angrily; then he shrugged and laughed and went back to his desk and began gathering up his scattered papers. She stood indecisively watching him. Suddenly he looked up, and saw that he had quite conquered his irritation, or at least had concealed his concern now seemed to be only over his relations with herself.

"We've not quarreled, Harry?" he asked.

"Quarreled? Not at all, Don," she replied.

She moved toward the door; he followed and let her out, and she went back to her own rooms.

## CHAPTER XV

Santoline's "Eyes" Fall Him.

Eaton, coming down rather late the next morning, found the breakfast room empty. He chose his breakfast from the dishes on the sideboard, and while the servant set them before him and waited on him, he inquired after the members of the household. Miss Santoline, the servant said, had breakfasted some time before and was now with her father; Mr. Avery also had breakfasted; Mr. Blatchford was not yet down. As Eaton fingered over his breakfast, Miss Davis passed through the hall, accompanied by a maid. The maid admitted her into the study and closed the door; afterward, the maid remained in the hall busily with some morning duty, and her presence and that of the servant in the breakfast room made it impossible for Eaton to attempt to go to the study or to risk descending to Miss Davis. A few minutes later, he heard Harriet Santoline descending the stairs; rising, he went out into the hall to meet her.

"I don't ask you to commit yourself for longer than today, Miss Santoline," he said; when they had exchanged greetings, "but—for today—what are the limits of my lease?"

"Mr. Avery is going to the country club for him; I believe his friends to ask you if you care to go with him."

She turned away and went into the study, closing the door behind her. Eaton, although he had finished his breakfast, went back into the breakfast room. He did not know where he could refuse or accept Avery's invitation; suddenly he decided. After waiting for some five minutes there over a second cup of coffee, he got up and crossed to the study.

"I beg pardon, Miss Santoline," he explained, his interruption. "But you did not tell me what time Mr. Avery is likely to want me to be ready to go to the country club."

"About half past twelve, I think."

"And what time shall we be coming back?"

"Probably about five."

He thanked her and withdrew. He did not look back as Miss Davis closed the door behind him; their eyes had not met; but he understood that she did comprehend him fully. Today he would be away from the Santoline house, and away from the guards who watched him, for at least four hours, under no closer espionage than that of Avery; this offered opportunity—the first opportunity he had had—for complete freedom between him and his friends outside the house.

He went to his room and made some slight changes in his dress; he came down, went to the library, found a book and settled himself to read. Toward noon Avery looked in on him and, after constituting his book, accepted his invitation. Eaton accepted, and after Avery had gone to get ready, Eaton put away his book. Fifteen minutes later, hearing Avery's motor

purring outside, Eaton went into the hall; a servant brought his coat and hat, and taking them, he went out to the motor. Avery appeared a moment later, with Harriet Santoline.

She stood looking after them as they spun down the curving drive and onto the pike outside the grounds; then she went back to the study. She dismissed Miss Davis for the day, and taking the typewritten sheets and some other papers her father had asked to have read to him, she went up to him.

Harriet Santoline was alone and awake. "What have you, Barret?" he asked. She sat down and glancing through the papers in her hand, gave him the subject of each; then at his direction she began to read them aloud. As she finished the third page, he interrupted her.

"Has Avery taken Eaton to the country club as I ordered?"

"I shall want you to go out there in the afternoon; I would trust your observation more than Avery's to determine whether Eaton has been used to such surroundings."

She read another page, then broke off suddenly.

"Has Donald asked you anything today, Father?"

"In regard to what?"

"I thought last night he seemed disturbed about my relishing him of his work."

"Disturbed? In what way?"

She hesitated, unable to define even to herself the impression Avery's manner had made on her. "I understand he was going to ask you to leave it still in his hands."

"He has not done so yet."

"Then probably I was mistaken."

She read again for half an hour after luncheon, finishing the pages she had brought.

"Now you'll better go to the club," the blind man directed.

She put the reports and letters away in the safe in the room below, and going to her own apartments, she dressed carefully for the afternoon.

As she drove down the road, she passed the scene of the attempt by the men in the motor to run Eaton down. The indolence of her knowledge by whom or why the attack had been made only made it seem more terrible to her. Unquestionably he was in constant danger of its repetition, and especially when—as today—he was outside her father's grounds. Instinctively she avoided her horse. She stopped at the clubhouse only to make certain that Mr. Avery and his guest were not there; then she drove on to the polo field.

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## Demand for Prompt Coke is Light, But No Noticeable Decrease in Consumption

Curtailment in Production Not Sufficient to Keep Market on a Level.

### SPOT DECLINES TO \$6.50

Market Not Considered as Governing Regular Shipments for Remainder of the Year; Foundry Softens Gesture; Talk No Action on Contracts.

**PITTSBURG, Dec. 13.—**Demand for spot and prompt coke has been very light in the past week. There has been no fresh decrease in consumption beyond that reported last week, in the blowing out of two valley furnaces, but contract shipments have been very good and holders of contracts covering their full requirements have had no occasion to go into the open market.

Expectations were quite general in the trade ten days or a fortnight ago that there would be considerable curtailment in production of coke by the merchant interests, but the evidence of the market this week is that if there has been curtailment it has not been sufficient to keep the market at a level, for the offerings now distinctly exceed the demand. Odd lots of coke, both for spot shipment and for shipment over a week, are offered, or at least are available, in various quarters, while inquiry is decidedly light.

The result of the unbalanced condition now developed is the natural one of prices declining. Spot furnace coke can be bought readily at \$6.50, and with such a variety of offerings that good quality is assured. The \$6.50 price is, as a matter of fact, not seriously tested and in some quarters it is regarded as altogether probable that on a firm inquiry the figure could be shaded very considerably.

The market price on spot furnace coke is not considered as governing regular shipments for the balance of the year, even though only two and a half weeks of the period remain. Operators who have adjusted the price on regular shipments to \$7.00 feel that they have done very well by their customers and thus the market, in general may be quoted at a range up to this figure.

Foundry coke has been getting gently and is quotable at 50 cents under the range of a week ago, with ordinary standard foundry at \$7.00 to many brands and \$7.50 ruling on particularly desirable brands. A brand here and there, not actively selling in the spot market, may be held at above \$7.50. Thus the market in general is quotable as follows:

Furnace coke ..... \$6.50 to \$7.00

Foundry coke ..... \$7.00 to \$7.50

There is much more talk than action regarding first quarter contracts. In the case of furnace coke there has been, conceivably, any negotiation even and no furnace interest has shown any disposition actually to close at this time, so that even asking prices are not well defined. As to the buyers, they are not making any bids, their attitude being that they want to get coke as cheaply as possible and are in no hurry to commit themselves. With the market moving their way of late delay is natural.

In foundry coke there has been a little negotiating for first quarter, but not much. One contract has been closed at \$7.00 but whether the market in general is likely to trend above or below that figure cannot be predicted.

Pig iron prices have been declining since about the middle of September, the total decline being in the neighborhood of \$10 a ton. With buyers unwilling to take hold except for little prompt lots some of the furnaces were considering the question of blowing out after completing their present orders but in the past week or ten days a drive for business, with prices further reduced, has been made, and a moderately fast tonnage has been booked for first quarter. In some cases furnaces set out to sell one-third of their prospective make, as a "backlog". Several furnaces made a "price on" foundry iron at \$6.50 Valley basis, stipulating that this was only for good sized first quarter tonnages, and after selling to large buyers reverted to \$7.00 as their minimum, this applying on small prompt lots. A basic iron not so much as done as the steel works were not, ready to take hold as the iron founders. Foundry iron is now quotable at \$25 to \$26 Valley, against \$26.50 to \$27 ruling before the furnaces started their drive. Basic iron, quotable at \$25.50 a week ago as an asking price, is now quotable at \$26 and weak at that figure, which has been shaded in some instances. The market as a whole now stands as follows:

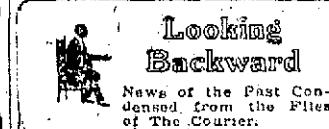
Basic iron ..... \$26.00

Foundry ..... \$26.00 to \$26.50

Pig ..... \$26.00 to \$26.50

The local coal market has been a shade more active in the past week, there having been some fair railroad buying. Pittsburgh district steam coal remains quotable at \$2.50 to \$2.75 with Pennsylvania gas at \$2.60 to \$2.75. Some contracts for gas by-product have not been adjusted to below \$2.75 for December shipment.

While the demand for domestic lump coal is in sharp contrast with demand for steam coal, being rather in excess of the offerings, prices are trending in ease off from their highest points, and \$15.50 for domestic 14-lb. lump is now somewhat exceptional. Until a few days ago the Pittsburgh Coal Company seemed alone with a price of \$4.50 but now there are other sellers at this figure, and there's a rumor that the leading interest will shortly reduce to \$4.00.



News of the Past Continued from the Files of The Courier.

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1892.**

Employees of the Stewart Iron Company raise a purse of \$100 for the mother of Robert Pollock, who was killed in a slope in North Union township.

Captain S. K. Dunkle takes possession of the Vance House at Evanson. Daniel Gehringer of Scotland dies of typhoid fever.

Edward, four years old, son of Thomas Mulligan, dies of diphtheria. William Lucas, a brother-in-law of A. S. Radstock of Connellsville, is buried to death at the Gibson Cemetery.

Robert Greenland opens a tin ware store.

John E. Francis is stricken with apoplexy.

It is said that Robert J. Cook, at one time the champion oarsman of Yale College, will take the position as one of the staff editors of the Philadelphia Press.

Harry McCormick buys the stock of the Central Drug Store, paying \$2,000.

John W. McElroy, a physician, organizes a school for the sick in Salem, O., on account of the serious illness of Jesse W. Bishop, brother of Mrs. Goodchild, arrive too late to see him alive.

The collection of wages for dry hands is made by the H. C. Pickle Cafe Company.

G. C. Hewitt resigns as superintendent of the local works to go to a coal plant in Virginia.

Miss Scrapsina Franks of Mount Braddock and S. P. Brown of Connellsville are married by Rev. R. C. Morgan.

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1902.**

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending December 15 shows a total of 3,229 tons in the region of which 2,476 were in blast and 553 idle, with a total estimated production of 281,518 tons.

The 40th annual county teachers' institute is held in Uniontown.

Officers of the Union Veteran Legion are elected as follows: Colonel Clark Collins; Lieutenant Colonel J. J. Barnard; Major General W. H. White; Captain C. H. Whiteley; quartermaster, W. P. Clark; officer of the day, A. W. Hood; adjutant, E. Dunn; sergeant, R. M. Smith; officer of the guard, R. J. Wilson; assistant quartermaster, J. R. Bullock; quartermaster sergeant, V. C. Gilmore; color bearer, David Richey; auditor, E. Dunn and E. Bullock; brakeman of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, falls under a train at Lymond. Both legs are cut off.

Edward Whittemore, a Baltimore & Ohio brakeman, suffers the loss of an arm at Confluence.

Steel and a barrel of sugar, brought unfortunately for James W. McElroy, a physician, are broken in, causing in falling the barrel or crashing down the cellar steps when he slips on the ice and the barrel squeezes him against the side of the stairway, breaking a leg.

The Dunbar Furnace Company is building a coal wharf.

The holdings of the Colonial Coke Company, which are sold to T. S. Ladday and others of Uniontown for \$275,000. The purchase consists of 75 acres of coal, 239 acres of surface, 100 tons of coke and 100 tons of coal.

The firm of Girard & Strawn of Connellsville is awarded the contract for erection of three large buildings for the Washington Coal & Coke Company at Uniontown. The buildings are an engine house, a house for the big electric plant and one for the air compressors.

John Harvey Barge dies of pleurisy at the age of 43 years.

Mrs. Mary Wakefield, 78 years old, widow of David W. Wakefield, dies at the home of her son, Samuel W. Wakefield, in Jerseytown.

Elip Solomon's Lodge, F. & A. M. elects the following officers: Worshipful master, William K. Higginbotham; vice-worshipful master, S. C. Warden, Harry McElroy; secretary, Henry Goldsmith; treasurer, John A. Armstrong; trustees, David Blackburn, James A. Zimmerman and George F. Taylor.

John Echard, formerly proprietor of the Wyman Hotel, sells his hotel at Bradford for \$7,000 cash and will leave for New York.

Captain Thomas M. Fee of Connellsville is appointed a member of the National Guard Army Committee on Legislation.

W. E. Gies is elected delegate to the convention of the International Brick Layers & Steeple Masons Union at Memphis, Tenn.

McNamee, for a short time assistant to the agent at the Pennsylvania Station in Connellsville, dies of smallpox in Pittsburgh.

Enoch Johnston is killed by a fall of slate at Darr mine.

The lease on the Scoville House at Scoville is sold to Louis Stover of Uniontown.

Marriage license issued in Uniontown include: Richard Rittenhouse, Sallock, Springfield and Kate Miller; Weston Williams, Poage, and Anna Mitchell, Dunbar; Isaac Prettyman, Mount Bradford, and Emma Leisure, Alverton; Wylie A. Sauls, Anna Miller, and Louise Cunningham, Kieserville.

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1912.**

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending December 7 shows a total of 28,876 tons in the region of which 23,660 are in blast and 6,215 idle, with a total estimated production of 381,100 tons.

C. L. Ringer, conductor, and C. H. Ringer, engineer, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, are killed in a collision with a train at Fairview, Wayne County.

Harry Brown, coal and coke operator, buys 1,341 acres of coal in Greene county, paying over \$1,000,000.

B. F. Gandy, owner of a lumber and brother-in-law, acquitted by a jury on grounds of insanity, is sentenced to the Pennsylvania Hospital for Criminally Insane at Fairview, Wayne County.

Miss Emma Leichter and Anthony Farthing are married at Cumberland.

Miss Mabel Henderson, a dinner guest of the Evans family, the sister of her sister, Miss Edna, to Clyde W. Davis of Connellsville.

Roger Echard and John Quinn, Scotchmen, are married with the start of a Pennsylvania passenger train bound from Scoville to Connellsville and bound



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